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Sir:

The Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections indicated in red ink on the attached one

drawing (1) sheet of drawings (Figure 5) is respectfully requested.

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In Figure 5, please change "Em> Em1" to -Em<Em1-- in Box S7; and change "S4 IN FIG.4"

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to -S4 IN FIG.3-- in first box, as shown.

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Upon receipt of approval of the drawing corrections and a formal Notice of Allowance, a bonded draftsman will be retained and the appropriate corrections will be made.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Enclosures: One (1) Sheet of Drawings (Figure 5) w/corrections in red ink

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed as indicated in connection with the above-identified case. MRQ/LGI